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Applicants : Steven G. Reed et al.
Application No. : 09/248,178
Filed : February 9, 1999
For : COMPOSITIONS FOR IMMUNOTHERAPY AND
DIAGNOSIS OF BREAST CANCER AND METHODS FOR
THEIR USE

Examiner : M. Sheinberg
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Docket No. : 210121.446C2
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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.112

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated October 9, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 33, 44, and 53-88.

Please add the following new claims to read as follows:

89. (New) A method for detecting breast cancer in a patient
comprising:

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